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Conſtantinople, February 9, *N. S.*

THIS Court has acknowledged in Form the Grand Duke of Tuſcany and the Queen of Hungary, as Emperor and Empreſs of Germany; and the Imperial Reſident is ſending to Vienna for his Equipages, &c. to take upon him the Character of Inter Nuncio upon this Occaſion.

Turin, March 8, *N. S.* We have juſt received Advice that Aſti is taken by our Troops. The Town and Caſtle ſurrendred together, and the Garriſon, conſiſting of nine French Battalions, is made Priſoners of War. M. Maillebois aſſembled all the Forces that were in the Monferrat, and was come to Annone, which is but five Miles from Aſti, in order to aſſiſt M. de Montal the Governor, but could not ſucceed. Our Troops are at preſent in March for Alexandria, about which Place the French are getting together their whole Strength. The Auſtrian General Platz, who was before Montcalvo, has left a ſmall Body to block up that Place, and is gone with the reſt of his Men towards Alexandria, whilſt a large Body of Auſtrians lately arrived is upon March to take Poſſeſſion of Parma.

Ulm, March 15. An Auſtrian Courier is juſt arrived here from Turin in his Way to Vienna. He left Turin ſix Days ago, and brings Word, that his Sardinian Majeſty has no Intentions to make a ſeparate Peace, but that on the contrary, encouraged by the Arrival of the Auſtrian Troops in Italy, his Majeſty is preparing for a vigorous Campaign.

Vienna, March 16. The Project of Embarking the Troops from Trieſte for Italy is laid aſide, and they have taken quite another Route, and by the incredible Pains of General Bernclau, in prevailing on them to double their Marches through the Tyrol, and by his having put them on board Floats, which are provided by General Brown at Bolzano, in order for their falling down the Adige with the greateſt Rapidity, ten Days at leaſt will have been gain'd; ſo that it is hop'd here, that by their having taken this ſhorter Route, and by the Haſte with which they have purſued it, the Spaniards will find themſelves ſo ſurprized, as to be forced to abandon both the Siege of the Citadel of Milan, if begun, and all the Milaneſe, where it is ſuppoſed it will be impoſſible for them to remain and ſubſiſt, by the Manner in which General Brown is expected to carry on his Operations on each Side of the Po.

Hambourgh, March 18, *N. S.* His Poliſh Majeſty has conferred the Biſhoprick of Cracaw upon Count Zaheski, the Grand Chancellor of the Crown. He is ſucceeded in that Office by the Vice-Chancellor Count Matachowski, whoſe Poſt will remain vacant till the next Diet.

Berlin, March 19, *N. S.* The King of Pruſſia return'd to Potzdam on Thurſday laſt, accompanied by his Highneſs Prince Henry and Count Rothemburg, and follow'd by the old Duke of Holſteinbeck, and ſeveral other Generals. Prince Auguſtus of Bevern is appointed by his Majeſty Commander at Stettin.

Paris, March 20, *N. S.* The nine Battalions lately made Priſoners at Aſti, were ſome of the beſt Troops we had in Italy. We have Advice that General Bernclau, after aſſembling in the Mantuan all the Auſtrian Troops, lately come from Germany, paſſed the Po at St. Benedetto, and marched to Parma, from whence he was proceeding directly to Voghera, in order to join the King of Sardinia on this Side the Po, whilſt General Pallavicini remains in the Cremoneſe, in order to prevent the Junction of 10,000 Neapolitans with the Army of the Infant. By theſe different Motions Guaſtalla, Parma, and Placentia will be evacuated. The Siege of the Caſtle of Milan is deferred.

Hague, March 22, *N. S.* On Tueſday, Wedneſday and Thurſday laſt, five of the Veſſels which had ſail'd from Dunkirk for Scotland, put back to that Place, of which only one had landed her Men and Stores; the others, miſſing their expected Signals upon the Coaſt, and ſome of them having been chaſed by the Britiſh Men of War, return'd for farther Orders. On Thurſday one of the Veſſels which had ſail'd from Dunkirk, put into Oſtend. She had landed her Money by a Fiſhing-boat, in the North of Scotland, but has brought back her Troops and Stores. On Wedneſday ſhe was chaſed

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chaſed into the Opening of Fluſhing by a Britiſh Man of War, and the next Morning ſtole, cloſe along the Flemiſh Coaſt, to Oſtend. She had ſeveral Shot thrown on board, by which her Fore-maſt was ſo wounded as to be unſerviceable; four Men were killed, and ſeveral wounded; and two who had loſt their Legs were ſeen carried aſhore. She was a Snow of about 200 Tons, built at Dunkirk for a Privateer, 14 Guns, with a Lyon's Head; the Captain and the commanding Officer having made their Report, Leave was given for the Men to go aſhore to refreſh, but had Orders to be on board at Night. Three Veſſels which were at Oſtend the 18th had the like Orders. The laſt Accounts from Dunkirk mention, that ſome Ships were gone out of the Harbour into the Road; and on Friday laſt the Hazard Sloop was in the Road with Stores and Officers on board.

Hague, March 25, N. S. The Auſtrian Corps from Bohemia begin to approach the Low Countries, and according to the Memorial preſented by the Empreſs's Miniſters for their Paſſage, the firſt Column is to paſs at Maeſtricht next Sunday. Letters from Turin of the 8th Inſtant bring Accounts of the Commencement of the King of Sardinia's Operations having met with all imaginable Succeſs. M. Leutrum, after having in his March made himſelf Maſter of ſeveral ſmall Poſts of the French, and intercepted the whole Regiment of Dauphiny, is ſaid in three Days time to have obliged the French Garriſon of Aſti, conſiſting of nine Battalions, to ſurrender themſelves Priſoners of War; though Marſhal Maillebois, with all the Force he could draw together, was marching to its Relief. In Conſequence of this Event, both the French and Piemonteſe Generals ſeem to have made the beſt of their Way for Alexandria; but it is added, that the latter had over taken the Rear Guard of the former at Soler, and carried off two more French Battalions. The ſame Advices are very ſanguine as to M. Leutrum's ſucceeding in revictualling, if not even in entirely diſengaging the Cittadel of Alexandria. In the mean Time, according to other Accounts, but of leſs Authority, the Auſtrians have not been idle; having, it is ſaid, retaken Poſſeſſion of Parma and Placentia; and the Spaniards thought fit to evacuate Milan, and to unite themſelves in the Parmeſan, chiefly on the South Side of the Po, for the Sake of preſerving their Communication with the Genoeſe.

Admiralty Office, March 10, 1745.

My Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty having received Information, that Thomas Mansfield, late Maſter of the Ship King's Meadow, was ſometime in the Month of October 1744, *murthered on board the ſaid Ship, in her Paſſage from Jamaica to London; and there being now two Perſons committed to the Marſhalſea Priſon, charged with the ſaid Murther; this is to give Notice, that if any Perſon or Perſons, who were on board the ſaid Ship at the Time the Fact was committed, will attend at this Office in order to bring the Offenders to Juſtice, they ſhall meet with all due Encouragement, and have Protections to ſecure them from being preſt.*

Tho. Corbett.

By the Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy.

Theſe are to give Notice, that this Board will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are deſirous to ſell and import the Stores undermentioned, for his Majeſty's Service, between Nine and Ten of the Clock each Morning, on the Days expreſs'd againſt the ſame, that they may attend with their Propoſals at thoſe Times, viz.

Wedneſday, March 19. *Hemp.*
Friday, March 21. *Tarr.*
Wedneſday, March 26. *Riga Maſts.*

East-India-houſe, March 7, 1745.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies, do hereby give Notice, That the Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Company, which will be holden on Wedneſday the 19*th Inſtant, will be alſo on ſpecial Affairs.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majeſty's Ship Bridgewater, who were preſent at the retaking of the Oſwego, and taking of the St. Andre, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of the Salvage, and Produce of theſe Ships and their Cargoes, on Tueſday the 9*th Day of April next, on board the ſaid Ship Bridgewater, if that Ship ſhall be then arrived at Spithead, or in Portſmouth Harbour, and if not then arrived, thoſe who are impowered to receive by Letters of Attorney, may apply to Mr. James Bucknall, Merchant in Portſmouth, at whoſe Houſe the Shares of ſuch as ſhall be then undemanded, will be paid the firſt Tueſday in every Month for three Years.*

The Officers and Company of his Majeſty's Ship Princeſs Louiſa, who are yet unpaid, may receive their reſpective Shares for the Pallas, Maria Margarite, St. Anne, Amiable Jeane, Mercury, Gracieuſe, and four retaken Ships, on board the Ship at Portſmouth, the 22*d Inſtant. Such Shares as remain undemanded, will be paid at the King's Arms on Tower-Hill the ſecond Wedneſday in every Month. At which Time and Place will be paid the Prize Money due to the Officers and Company of the Kennington, the Honourable George Edgecumbe, Eſq; late Commander, for an empty Tartan ſold at Mahon.*

March 14, 1745.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Meeting of the Truſtees for the River L E E will be holden by Adjournment at the Queen's Head Tavern in Holbourn in the County of Middleſex, on Wedneſday the 2*d Day of April next, at Six in the Evening.*

B. Toller, *Clerk to the Truſtees.*

Advertiſements.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Wedneſday the 16th Day of April next, before Robert Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, between Four and Six in the Afternoon, Several Meſſuages and Farms with their Appurtenances, ſituate in the Pariſhes of St. Levan, St. Buryan and St. Juſt, in the County of Cornwall, being the Eſtate of Thomas Roberts, late of Penzance in the ſaid County, Gent. deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

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WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Samuel Johnſon, late of the Pariſh of St. Giles in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Cheeſemonger, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Samuel Johnſon hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 8th of April next.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the Goal or Priſon of Bury St. Edmunds in the County of Suffolk, gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the ſaid County, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. William Webb, late of Haverill, in the County of Suffolk, Weaver.

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